

**BUSINESS REPORT**

**MONTANA SENATE  
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**SENATE BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**Date:** Tuesday, March 17, 2009  
**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 10 am  
**Room:** 422

**BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Add Postponed (PP) when appropriate:

HB 326, HB 331, HB 387

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**EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:**

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Enter P(pass) F(failed) DPAA (do pass as amended) BC(be concurred in) BCAA (be concurred in as amended):

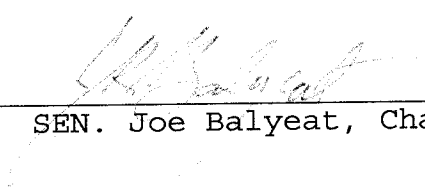
HB 326 BC \_\_\_\_\_

HB 387 BC \_\_\_\_\_

HB 374 Tabled \_\_\_\_\_

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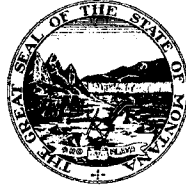
**COMMENTS:**

  
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SEN. Joe Balyeat, Chairman

**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Roll Call**  
**BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

DATE: 3-17-09 Tues.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
SENATOR JOE BALLYEAT, CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR VERDELL JACKSON, VICE CHAIR	✓	
SENATOR GREGORY BARKUS		✓
SENATOR ROY BROWN	✓	
SENATOR JIM KEANE		✓
SENATOR JIM PETERSON		✓
SENATOR CAROLYN SQUIRES		✓
SENATOR DONALD STEINBEISSER	✓	
SENATOR SHARON STEWART-PEREGOY	✓	
SENATOR JOSEPH TROPILA	✓	
SENATOR JONATHAN WINDY BOY		✓



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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs** recommend that **House Bill 326** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

  
*Senator Joe Balyeat, Chair*

To be carried by Senator Gregory Barkus

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 11, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required ☐

HB0326001SC02666.sdr





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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs** recommend that **House Bill 387** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

*Joe Balyeat*  
Senator Joe Balyeat, Chair

To be carried by Senator Verdell Jackson

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 11, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required \_\_\_\_

HB0387001SC00436.sdr

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## COMMITTEE FILE COPY

### TABLED BILL

The **SENATE BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE** TABLED HB 374, by motion, on **Tuesday, March 17, 2009**.

Linda Keim  
(For the Committee)

Steve Aaron  
(Secretary of the Senate)

12:30 / 3/17  
(Time) (Date)

March 17, 2009

Linda J. Keim, Secretary

Phone: 444-4772

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**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

DATE 3-17-09 BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MOTION: \_\_\_\_\_

*Table HB 374*

*To Table  
Carried 7-4*

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
SENATOR GREGORY BARKUS	✓		
SENATOR ROY BROWN	✓		
SENATOR JIM KEANE		✓	
SENATOR JIM PETERSON	✓		
SENATOR CAROLYN SQUIRES		✓	
SENATOR DONALD STEINBEISSER	✓		
SENATOR SHARON STEWART-PEREGOY	✓		
SENATOR JOSEPH TROPILA		✓	
SENATOR JONATHAN WINDY BOY		✓	
SENATOR VERDELL JACKSON, VICE CHAIR	✓		
SENATOR JOE BALYEAT, CHAIRMAN	✓		

# AUTHORIZED SENATE COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from Business & Labor Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Verdell Jackson

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

HB 387	X	
HB 326	X	
HB 374 table	X	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO


Sen. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

Date 3/17/09

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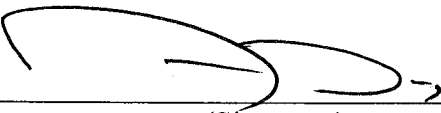
SEN. JOE TROPILA

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT                      AYE      NO

HB 326	✓	
HB 387	✓	
HB 374 TABLE		✓

BILL/AMENDMENT                      AYE      NO


Sen.   
(Signature)

Date 3/17/09



# AUTHORIZED SENATE COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from BILL BUSINESS ~~LABOR~~ Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

SEN. JOE TROPILA

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BILL/AMENDMENT

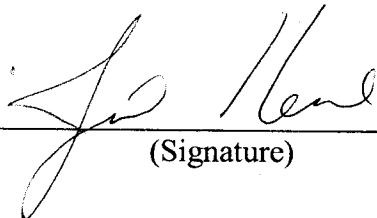
AYE NO

HB 326	✓	
HB 387	✓	
HB 374 TABLE		✓

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO


sen. \_\_\_\_\_

  
(Signature)

Date 3/17/09

**AUTHORIZED  
SENATE COMMITTEE PROXY**

I request to be excused from BUSINESS & LABOR committee  
because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

SEN. JOE TROPILA

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments,  
list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote  
for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT                      AYE      NO

HB 326	✓	
HB 387	✓	
HB 374 SUB M TO TABLE		✓

BILL/AMENDMENT                      AYE      NO


sen. Carolyn Spivak  
(Signature)

Date 3/17/09

## BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

Bill No. HB 337 Sponsor(s) DeCheney

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**Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.**

**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Visitors Register**

**BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS**

Date 3-17-09

Bill No. HB 526 Sponsor(s) Henderson

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
LINDA STOLL	MT Assoc of Clerks/Receiv.	✓		
Stewart Duggell	MT bond Title Assoc.	✓		
CARL SCHWEITZER	MT Sub Assoc.	✓		

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**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Visitors Register**

**BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS**

Date 3-17-09

Bill No. H.B. 351 Sponsor(s) Argon

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
Shannon Thernault	Missoula City Health Dept	✓		
Neil Peterson	Gaming Industry		✓	
GORDON MORRIS	LEWIS & CLARK Co.	✓		
HAROLD BARTIE	MAA	✓		
ELLEN LEAHY	AMPHO	✓		
LINDA STICK	AMPHO	✓		
Melanie Rynolds	Lewis + Clark County	✓		
Laurel Riek	Lewis + Clark County	✓		
Mike Henderson	Lewis and Clark County	X		
John MacDonald	City of Missoula	X		
Chuck Denash	FBIH		X	
Brad Griffin	MT Rest Assoc		X	
Riley Johnson	NFED		X	
JOE RUSSELL	FUTUREALCL Hampton	✓		
AMEE GRIMMEL	MIKA		X	

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